funds (including unspent balances of old UPA Programmes) during the last three years.

(c) The States/UTs, including Government of Uttar Pradesh, are persuaded from time to time for more effective implementation of the scheme. In addition, close monitoring is done at the Central level through periodical review meetings/field visits and quarterly progress reports.

**Non-Allotment of Plots by DDA**

1999. SHRI C. RAMACHANDRAIAH: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a large number of applicants who got registered for plots as far back as in 1981 with the Delhi Development Authority have not been allotted plots even now;

(b) whether the land earmarked for aforesaid scheme has been diverted to other subsequent schemes; and

(c) by when the DDA will be able to allot plot to those who applied for it in 1981?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI PON RADHAKRISHNAN): (a) to (c) DDA has reported that out of 82,384 applicants registered for plots in 1981 under the Rohini Residential Scheme, 42427 registrants have been allotted plots till date. DDA has already acquired 1478 acre of land in Rohini and has requisitioned more land for liquidating the pendency of waitlisted registrants under the scheme. The land earmarked for the Rohini Residential Scheme, 1981 has not been diverted to other schemes.

**Poverty Alleviation Schemes in Kashmir Valley**

2000. PROF. SAIF-UD-DIN SOZ: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether any Poverty Alleviation Schemes have been initiated in J&K State, particularly in Kashmir Valley since 1st April, 1999 to 15th February, 2003;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and